

Spelling list: -ies plurals

If a noun ends in a consonant plus y, form the plural by swapping the y for ies.

abilities	The course is suitable for pupils of all abilities .
berries	We picked berries off the bush in autumn.
briberies	The guard was infamous for taking briberies .
calories	Skimmed milk has less calories than semi-skimmed milk.
cavities	The dentist filled my cavities .
discoveries	The inventor was known for her many discoveries .
faculties	The student's critical faculties were sharp.
galaxies	Do you know how many galaxies there are in the universe?
hierarchies	I was surprised to discover hierarchies and snobberies were still so widespread.
ladies	Many prominent ladies and gentlemen were present at the event.
lorries	There were many lorries on the road.
matrimonies	Some matrimonies are successful, other less so.
nannies	Our child had several nannies when growing up.
obscurities	I searched the text for obscurities .
parties	I have been invited to two parties this weekend.
possibilities	I considered both possibilities .
quarries	They are mining in the quarries .
realities	He needs to face the realities of adulthood.
rosaries	My mother has two rosaries .

sanctities

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